pneumonia was 5.7 per cent as revealed in this survey.

(c) and (d) There is no Central scheme yet for acute respiratory infection which includes Pneumonia.

Marketing of Drugs for Treatment of T. B.

2118. SHRI CHITTA BASU:

DR. (SHRIMATI SAROJINI MAHISHI:

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) what are the names of drugs and combinations allowed for marketing in the country for the treatment of T. B.

(b) what are the strengths of single ingredient and composition of combinations permitted;

(c) whether any of these drugs and combination of drugs were purchased by Government for National T. B. Control Programmes;

(d) if so, the names of formulations purchased during the last three years, year-wise, alongwith the quantity and value of each;

(e) the names of the parties from whom purchased alongwith the price of each unit in each year of each formulation; and

(f) what are the names of drugs under Category-I of Drugs Price Control Order and what are the present Government fixed prices of formulations which were purchased by Government?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE): (a) and (b) As per Statement attached. (See below).

(c to (e) As per Annexure (See Appendix CXLIX, Annexure No. 120.)

(f) The drugs used in National T.B. Eradication Programme included under Category I of Drugs Prices Control Order are:

1. Streptomycin
2. Isoniazid
3. Thiacetazone
4. Ethambutol
5. Sodium PAS
6. Pyrazinamide

Price of drugs is fixed by Bureau of Industrial Costs and Prices, Ministry of Industry.

Statement

Rifampicin	150mg, 300mg, 450mg & 600mg, Caps. 100 mg/5 ml. Syrup.
Isoniazid	50, 100, 300 Tabs.
Ethambutol	200 mg, 400mg, 800mg.
Pyrazinamide	500 mg and 750 mg tablets.
Streptomycin (as Sulph.)	0.75 g, 1 g Injection.
Cycloserine	250 mg. caps.
Morphazinamide Hcl.	500 mg. tabs.
1. Rifampicin	450 mg } Caps.
INH	300 mg }
2. Isoniazid	300 mg
Ethambutol	800 mg

3. Sod. PAS	834 mg	Tabs.	3.34 gm. Granules.
Isonicotinic Acid Hydrazide	25 mg		1.00 mg
4. Isoniazid	300 mg	Tabs.	
Thioacetazine	150 mg		
5. Rifampicin	150 mg		
Isoniazid	100 mg		
Pyrazinamide	500 mg		

Opening of C.G.H.S. Homoeopathic Dispensary in North Avenue, New Delhi

2119. SHRI SOHAN LAL DHUSIYA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the number of demands received from Members of Parliament for opening of a C.G.H.S. Homoeopathic Dispensary in North Avenue area, New Delhi;

(b) the action taken on these demands;

(c) the reasons for not opening any Homoeopathic dispensary in North Avenue area till date; and

(d) by when it is likely to be opened?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE): (a) to (d) One request has been received for opening of Homoeopathic dispensary/unit in North Avenue during 1988. However, it is not proposed to open a Homoeopathic dispensary/unit in North Avenue as the residents of this locality are availing the Homoeopathic facilities from South Avenue Homoeopathic Unit.

Testing of Anti-Cancer Drugs

2120. CHOWDHARY RAM SEWAK: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to refer to Unstarred Question No. 790 given in Rajya Sabha on 28th February, 1989 and state:

(a) how many samples of anti-cancer medicines were drawn for test during the last three years, year-wise;

(b) what was the name of each cancer drug and what was the name of Laboratory where it was tested;

(c) what was the report of each and whether any formulation was found of sub-standard quality;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) what are the names of anti-cancer drugs and formulations being manufactured in the country and how much quantity with value was imported of each during last three years, year-wise alongwith name of importers?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE): (a) to (d) Testing facilities to test anti-cancer drugs are not available in the country. Since these are highly Cytotoxic drugs, most of the anti-cancer formulations are coming from reputed manufacturers from abroad and so there is no reason to suspect their quality.